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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, JANUARY 13TH, 1912.

A message from Peking to the Times
three weeks ago stated that a feature of
the present upheaval in China is the disregard
for the anti-opium agreements and the cultiva-
tion of poppy. The message added that the
Revolutionary Government in Yunnan had
officially sanctioned the re-planting of poppy,
while the Commissioner of Szechuan reports a
widespread increase in cultivation. Yunnan
and Szechuan provinces have been
the largest growers of opium in the Empire,
and consequently the prohibition of
native cultivation has been more severely
felt by the populations in these two
provinces than in any other portion
of the Empire. According to the official
review of the trade of China in 1910, the
supplies of Szechuan and Yunnan drug
passing Ichang-downwards fell from 51,817
to 28,530 piculs. Mr. CHALMERS added that
he greater part of this decline in up-river
supplies occurred in the last quarter of the
year, "showing that the measures instituted
by the Szechuan Viceroy for bringing to an
end the exportation of opium from that
province had, as intended, come into
effectual operation in the eighth month." When
the reports for 1911 are issued it
will doubtless be seen that this export
trade has now reached the vanishing point.
It can be readily understood that the sudden
suppression of this industry has created an
enormous amount of distress in these
provinces which the attempts so far made
to introduce new industries has done very
little to alleviate. How largely this has

inflamed the minds of the people in these
provinces against Manchuria rule can easily be
imagined. The suppression of poppy cultiva-
tion probably comes foremost in the catalogue
of grievances which the people of these
provinces have against Manchuria rule; and
so, having declared their independence
of control from Peking, having thrown off
"the yoke of the oppressor," and adopted
the Republican ideal of "government through
the people, by the people," the opinion of the
majority rules. The significant thing about
the announcement that the Revolutionary
Government in Yunnan has officially sanc-
tioned the re-planting of poppy is that this
is contrary to the declared policy of the
Republican party, and it remains to be seen
whether the Central Government for the
Republican provinces now established at
Nanking is able to enforce in these pro-
vinces the general laws it has enacted. Dr.
SUN YAT-SEN, as the President of this
Federal Government, has appealed to the
Foreign Powers to recognise his Govern-
ment. Their answer to this appeal must be
influenced by the evidence which the
Government affords of its ability to enforce
the laws it enacts, when these laws are
opposed to public opinion in a
particular province. In this matter
of opium cultivation we have a test
case. It is a curious coincidence that
the Revolutionary Government in Yunnan
should have proclaimed its disregard of the
opium agreements with the Foreign Powers
at the very time that an International Con-
ference was in session at The Hague
deliberating on methods of hastening the
total extinction of the trade in accordance
with what is frequently represented to be
the unanimous desire of the Chinese people.
Of course, it is now out of the power of the
Government at Peking to control the new
situation which has arisen in the province
of Szechuan and Yunnan, and it becomes
a question therefore whether the Foreign
Governments will in this matter recognise
the Republican Government at Nanking,
which claims to exercise authority over
these provinces, and has already offered the
Powers assurances that all agreements
entered into with them by the Chinese
Government will be faithfully observed.
There can be no doubt that the leaders of
the Revolutionary movement are in thorough
sympathy with the anti-opium policy, and it
is simply a question of the power of the
Central Government to enforce a policy
which is distasteful to the bulk of the
people in a particular province.

The German mail of the 13th December was
delivered in London on the 11th January.

At the Magistracy yesterday, Mr. C. D.
Melbourne fined a man \$50 for being in
possession of 37 tacks of loose opium.

Mr. E. A. Irving had before him yester-
day a sergeant in the Revolutionary army.
The man was charged with being in posses-
sion of 23 rounds of ammunition. He was
fined \$25.

Arthur Taylor, a sailor on H.M.S. Min-
otaur, was yesterday fined \$6 on charges of
disorderly conduct and drunkenness. It ap-
pears that he went into a house in Well-
ington Street and broke a number of flower
pots.

We are informed that there was a slight
fall of snow on the Peak yesterday morning,
but the small flakes dissolved almost as soon
as they touched the earth. It is about fif-
teen years since snow was last seen on the
Peak.

A man was charged before Mr. E. A. Ir-
ving at the Magistracy yesterday with hav-
ing stolen an earring from a lady in
Queen's Road. He was also charged with
being unlawfully in possession of the earring,
and with having disobeyed an order of
banishment. On the first charge he was
sentenced to three months' imprison-
ment, and on the second to 14 days. For
having disobeyed the order of banishment,
he was sentenced to twelve months in goal,
the first and third sentences being accumu-
lative.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION.

THE DIRECTORS' RECOMMENDATIONS.

We are officially authorised to state that,
subject to audit, the Directors of the Hong-
kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will
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ing—

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troubles of the sex, and that PINKLETS
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digestion, prevent Headaches, For 6 cents
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TELEGRAMS. TELEGRAMS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE REVOLUTION.

KIBEL SUCCESS IN CHINESE TURKESTAN.

LONDON, January 12th.

A St. Petersburg telegram states that the
Revolutionaries have seized the arsenal at
Kuldja, in Chinese Turkestan. They killed
four hundred Manchus and proclaimed a
republic.

THE KING'S INDIAN VISIT.

HIS MAJESTY REJOICES.

LONDON, January 12th.

The King has telegraphed to Mr. Asquith,
saying that he is rejoiced to learn from all
sources that the success of his visit to India
had exceeded all expectations. All classes,
races and creeds received him and the Queen
with unmitigated enthusiasm and affec-
tion. He rejoices that the mutual confi-
dence between himself and the people at
Home enabled him to fulfil his heart's wish,
and his satisfaction will be all the greater if
it proves that his visit has conducted to the
lasting good of India and the Empire.

INDIAN VICEROY HONOURED.

LONDON, January 12th.

Vicount Hardinge has received the Chain
of the Victorian Order.

THE NEW YORK FIRE.

REMOVING THE SECURITIES.

LONDON, January 11th.

Securities worth about sixty millions
sterling have been removed from the vaults
of the Equitable building. There are still
eighty millions in the vaults, which are yet
inaccessible, beneath the debris, but it is
believed they are unharmed.

THE THREATENED STRIKE
OF MINERS.

LONDON, January 12th.

The miners' ballot returns from Northum-
berland and Durham are overwhelmingly
in favour of a strike. The men seem little
affected by the warnings of the leaders or
the employers' manifestos.

LATER.

The miners' ballot returns generally
indicate a majority of six to one in favour
of the strike.

Mr. Will Crook, Mr. Henderson and other
Labourites addressed a Labour demonstra-
tion. Mr. Henderson urged the workers
not to be carried away by the parrot cry of
"down tools," which was "lessening the
efficiency of the democracy" in the industrial
world. He dwelt on the benefits of politi-
cal action as opposed to strikes, and con-
tended that the Government should do their
utmost to prevent the miners' strike.

THE FRENCH POLITICAL CRISIS.

LONDON, January 12th.

Telegrams from Paris state that the news-
papers dwell on the gravity of the crisis, and
insist that it is the first duty of the new
Cabinet to secure the speediest ratification
of the Morocco Agreement. They demand
that the policy of mysteries shall come to
an end, and several declare that the crisis
will destroy the whole Radical regime.

A friend of M. de Selves says that the
latter recognises he made a mistake in not
resigning when M. Caillaux was carrying on
his secret impulsive diplomacy side by side
with the regular negotiations, but he re-
mained at the request of President Fallières.
But for M. de Selves there would have been
greater concessions to Germany.

All the Ministers, except M. de Selves
have written a letter to M. Caillaux em-
phasising that they were constantly consult-
ed by him throughout the Morocco negotia-
tions, and saying that they are conscious of
having served with him in the cause of
peace and in maintaining the dignity and
greatness of France.

M. Caillaux, in his letter of resignation,
says that every clause of the Agreement was
openly discussed and unanimously agreed
to by the Cabinet.

LATER.

A Paris telegram states that, owing to
the probability of M. Bourgeois declining
the Premiership through ill health, it is
expected that President Fallières will
summon M. Delcasse.

FIGHTING IN BRAZIL.

LONDON, January 12th.

A Rio Janeiro telegram states that, owing
to the State Government of Bahia refusing
to act on a judgment of the Federal High
Court, granting a writ of Habeas Corpus in
favour of certain Opposition Deputies, the
fort bombarded and destroyed the Govern-
ment building. The Federal Government
is despatching a warship to Bahia.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN CRICKET.

THIRD TEST MATCH.

LONDON, January 12th.

The third test match was commenced at
Adelaide in fine and hot weather and before
a good attendance. The wicket was perfect,
but the Australians could only manage to
reach 133 in their first venture. Foster
took five wickets for 36 runs. England
scored 49 runs without the loss of a wicket.

AUSTRALIAN CRICKET.

LONDON, January 12th.

In the inter-state match between South
Australia and New South Wales, South
Australia scored 261 and 286, Delling being
the principal contributor with 105 and 66.
New South Wales totalled 520 in their first
innings, Bardsley scoring 177, Barbour 122
and Minnett 87. In their second innings
they lost two wickets for 28.

GERMAN ELECTIONS.

LONDON, January 12th.

Reuter's correspondent at Berlin states
that the weather favours a record poll in the
elections for the Reichstag to day. Excite-
ment is keen and the Socialists are most
active. In their manifestos they warn
electors of the dangers of the rule of a
progressive nation by a coalition of the
reactionaries and the clericals. The Con-
servatives insist on the necessity of averting
foreign peril by building up armaments and
unitedly opposing the Socialists.

The Kaiser, who is at Potsdam, has
arranged to be continuously informed of the
progress of the fight.

BRITAIN AND PERSIA.

LONDON, January 12th.

A Calcutta telegram states that there is
a growing belief that the despatch of a
British expedition to the South of Persia is
imminent, though the matter is still being
considered in Calcutta and London.

PERSIAN AFFAIRS.

LONDON, January 12th.

Reuter's correspondent at Teheran reports
that Mr. Schuster has left for Europe. He
has issued a statement expressing the opinion
that the Commission appointed on the 8th
inst. is unfit to undertake the Treasury
administration. The Commission has re-
signed, and it is understood that M. Mornard
will take over the post.

AFRICAN SHIPPING.

LONDON, January 12th.

It is announced in Hamburg that an
important meeting will be held there on the
18th inst. between the Ost Africa Line and
the British lines. The agreement between
the Germans and the British lines terminated
on the first of the present month. The
Ost Africa Company states that at present
business is normal. Rate cutting is not
contemplated, but it emphasises complete
freedom to establish lines. It is unaware
of any vital change in the African shipping
situation, and has no reason to anticipate a
rate war in any shape or form, as no good
could possibly result therefrom either to
the British or the Germans. It is confidently
anticipated that a settlement will be reached
in the ordinary way.

The Shipping Gazette advises both sides
to take no precipitate action. The Germans
demand a rearrangement in view of the
amalgamation of the Royal Mail and Union
Castle Lines, as they naturally desire to
know where they stand.

RUSSIAN YACHT SUNK.

LONDON, January 12th.

A Russian yacht has been sunk during a
storm in the Black Sea. There were 172
on board, including the Russian Consul at
Galatz and his family.

WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE.

LONDON, January 12th.

Colonel Seely, M.P., has taken a women's
referendum at Ilkeston on the question of
women's suffrage. Out of 5,600 papers
issued, 1,811 were against woman's suffrage
and 1,074 were for. The rest were blank.

SLEEPING SICKNESS.

LONDON, January 12th.

Reuter's correspondent at Lahore tele-
graphs that a sepy who contracted sleeping
sickness in Uganda in 1910 has completely
recovered.

THE OLD LAW COURTS.

Yesterday morning Mr. Justice Gompertz,
sitting in the Summary Jurisdiction of the
Court, addressed a few valedictory words to the
bar. Addressing Mr. Grist, he said—I thought
it might be as well, as this is the last day, I take
it, on which the Puisne Judge is sitting in this
Court, and as the whole of the profession is here,
that I should not merely say that this is a valedictory
occasion. It is really a historic occasion,
because we are saying good-bye to the old Court.
I find from the records of the Colony that six
Puisne Judges before I was appointed in 1907
sat in this Court. This Court has been used
since 1862. We migrate to-morrow, and I
thought I would just say those words to put
this last day on record. I will be a date in the
annals of the Colony when we remove bag and
baggage from this old building and hand it over
to the mercies of the breakers-up. We start
fairly auspiciously, because I find there is only
one old case this morning.

A SOLDIER'S DEATH.

Mr. E. A. Irving yesterday held a magisterial
inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the
death of Private W. Cantrill, who was found in
an unconscious condition on December 23rd, in a
nullah near the military headquarters at Murray
Barracks. Evidence was given by Lieut.-Col.
Gordon Hall to the effect that the deceased was
suffering from hemorrhage of the brain when
he was brought into barracks.

The evidence of Private F. Rowett went to
show that deceased when taken out of the nullah,
would not say how he came to fall into it.

Sergeant Byner deposed to having reported
deceased missing on the morning of the
occurrence.

A verdict of death by misadventure was
returned.

DEATH OF A SOLICITOR.

Mr. Ho Yan Sik, a solicitor in the office of
Mr. Leo D'Almeida Castro, was found dead in
his bed at Forest Lodge, Caine Road, yesterday.
Mr. Ho was admitted to the Hongkong bar
about eighteen months ago, after having made
a very creditable pass in England. He was
about to be admitted into partnership with Mr.
D'Almeida, to whom the news of his sudden
demise came as a great shock.

HONGKONG CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
SOCIETY.

OPENING OF THE NEW CHURCH.

The first service in the edifice on MacDonnell
Road which has just been completed for
the Christian Science Society of Hongkong,
will be held to-morrow, Sunday, January 14th,
at 11.15 a.m.

The building is one of the most beautifully
finished and furnished structures in Hongkong.
The order of service will be as follows:—

1. Communion Hymn—"Saw ye my
Saviour?"
2. Reading Scriptural Selections.
2nd Corinthians, 6th: 1 and 2nd verses.
Luke 20th: 22nd to 25th verse.
John 4th: 12 to 15, 20, 21, 23, and 24th
verses.
John 6th: 56 to 59 and 63rd verses.
3. Silent prayer followed by the audible
repetition of the Lord's Prayer with its spiritual
interpretation.
4. Hymn—"Here O my Lord I'd see Thee
face to face."
5. Announcing necessary notices.
6. Reading the Tenets of The Mother
Church.
7. Collection.
8. Solo—"O abide with me," Mrs. A. B.
Mondler.
9. Announcing "Sacrament" as the subject
of the Lesson-Sermon and reading the
Golden Text from Revelations iii, 20.
10. Reading the Scriptural selection entitled,
"Responsive Reading," alternately by the First
Reader and the congregation.
11. Reading the Lesson-Sermon, the Bible
selections by the Second Reader and the cor-
relative passages from "Science and Health with
Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy,
by the First Reader.
12. Singing the Doxology.
13. Reading "The Scientific Statement of
Being" and the correlative Scripture according
to 1st John, iii, 1st to 3rd.
14. Benediction.

All are cordially invited to attend the service,
which are held on Sundays at 11.15 a.m. and on
Wednesdays at 5.45 p.m. At the Wednesday
meetings testimonies are given as to the heal-
ing, saving and redemptive power of Christian
Science.—Communicated

"AMIALE ENEMY."

FRANCO-GERMAN NEGOTIATIONS EXCHANGE
COMPLEMENTS.

After seeing so much of each other during
the apparently interminable Franco-German
"conversations," Herr von Kiderlen-Waechter,
German Foreign Minister, and M. Jules Cam-
bon, French Ambassador in Berlin, have, from
diplomatic enemies, become private friends.
As a sign of their mutual good feeling they
exchanged photographs on the occasion of their
last dining together. Herr von Kiderlen-
Waechter writing on the back of his
photograph—

"To my amiable friend and terrible enemy."
Not wishing to be outdone, M. Cambon wrote
on his—

"To my terrible friend and amiable enemy."
M. Cambon added to the present of his photo-
graph the verses from President Fallières
which now form one of the finest ornaments to
the villa at the end of the Chancellerie garden.

LOCAL SPORT.

FIKTURES AT A GLANCE.

LEAGUE CRICKET.			
R.E.	Naval Yard		
Civil Service	Police		
Kowloon	K.O.Y.L.I.		
OTHER CRICKET.			
H.K.C.C.	Garrison		
C.C.C. "A."	K.A.M.C.		
Civil Service "A."	Kowloon "A."		

FOOTBALL.

SHIELD FOOTBALL.			
H.M.S. Tamar	K.O.Y.L.I. "A."		
	Naval Ground, 4 p.m.		

CRICKET.

TRANS:			
Civil Service "A."	S. Edwards, J. W. Lee		
Naval Yard	J. T. Jackson, A. M. Thornhill, J. R.		
Police	Wood, A. E. Wood, E. Gibson, R. Phillips, F.		
K.O.Y.L.I.	Bacon, H. Ellis, and W. Dawson.		
CRICKET:			
Civil Service	R. E. O. Bird, Hon. Dr.		
Naval Yard	Atkinson, H. R. Phillips, R. C. Houghton,		
Police	H. A. Cox, H. Gilman, R. C. Withnell, L. E.		
Kowloon	Brett, A. R. Sutherland, H. L. O. Garrett, and		
J. McEwen.			
Crispington	H. H. Taylor, I. V. Beaga,		
G. A. Hancock, L. A. Rose, J. D. Noris, F.			
Rapp, H. Rapp, S. B. Battilware, A. E. Asger,			
R. Phillips and J. Tappin.			

HONGKONG CRICKET LEAGUE.

The following table is up to date:				
Club	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
1 Civil Service	7	6	1	18
2 Crispington	7	4	1	14
3 Kowloon	8	4	3	13
4 R. G. A.	7	2	3	9
5 H. K. Police	6	3	3	9
6 R. E.	6	2	3	7
7 K.O.Y.L.I.	1	2	5	5
8 Naval Yard	8	1	7	5

N.B.—A win=3 points.
A draw=1 point.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

Messrs. Vernon and Smith in their weekly
share report dated January 5th state:—

Business during the past week has been more
restricted, but with few exceptions rates remain
firm, and in some instances further advances
have been established. Sterling "Rubbers"
have advanced steadily during the interval, and
close with a good enquiry for London account.
There are also indications of a revival in demand
for Singapore Rotations, which it is hoped may
develop in sympathy with the improved London
position.

Fine Hard Para Rubber closes in London at
4/5 per lb. the tone of the Rubber Share
Market being firm. Discount rates are quoted
at 4 per cent. (Bank of England) and 3 1/2 (open
market rate), and Spot Bar Silver at 25 1/2 d. per
oz. firm. Sterling T. T. closes at 110 1/2 and the
T. T. rate on Shanghai at 74 1/2.

HANKS—Hongkong and Shanghai have
been booked to a small extent at 38 1/2, which
the market closes firm. The London rate after
advancing to 233 1/2 has receded to 232, the
late quotation to hand per private wire. We
understand that subject to audit the usual
dividend of 22 and bonus of 5/- per share will
be recommended for distribution on account of
the six months ending December 31st, 1911.

ENGLAND'S OLDEST INHABITANTS.

For some months past I have never opened my weekly newspaper without finding an account of somebody who has reached the age of a hundred years, and, curiously enough, most of these dear old souls have been women.

Whether I shall live to be a hundred myself, and have my portrait in the papers, I can't say, but if anything I can tell you here will help you to reach a hundred, or even if it only helps you to get a greater share of happiness in your life, I shall be very well pleased.

I have lived in many places, and my long experience of life tells me that most of the troubles which rob women of health and happiness, and shorten their lives, are due to neglect. I don't want to frighten you, but I could tell you tales that would make your blood run cold, of the terrible miseries suffered because girls were in a poor state of health when they crossed the borderline between girlhood and womanhood, because women had neglected their health ere baby came, or neglected it just about the changeful season of life.

It is from actual experience of these different classes of women that I know, firstly, that long life depends upon regular health; and good, regular health upon the well-being of the organs of digestion. The principal organs, of course, are the stomach, liver, and bowels, and they are so allied in the work they do, that if one of them gets out of order the others usually follow suit. Of course, the stomach gets out of order very easily, especially if we don't take our meals regularly, or eat what doesn't agree with us.

But when you remember that if the digestive organs are out of order we can have pains after eating, wind in the stomach, headache, biliousness, constipation, nervousness, anæmia, and the terrible troubles that women suffer in silence, you will readily see that nothing could be more important than to keep these organs in thorough working order.

If you will only see to it that you do this, all will be well, and, luckily for us the means of keeping the digestive organs in thorough working order is within our reach, for in that old-established, famous remedy, Mother Seigel's Syrup, we have the very medicine we need. I am impressed by three things in favour of Mother Seigel's Syrup, which is undoubtedly the ideal digestive tonic, and stomach and liver remedy. In the first place, it is made of curative extracts of roots, barks and leaves which act directly upon the stomach, liver, and bowels; toning and strengthening them to a remarkable degree. Secondly Mother Seigel's Syrup is made to-day just as it was forty years ago. Through all these years it has been correcting stomach and liver disorder with a degree of success that is without parallel in the history of medicine, and, finally, I know of no other medicine which is backed by the same convincing testimony to its curative power. But I will just quote a few words from a lady's letter.

Mrs. E. Quirk, 91, Grove Street, Chapel Road, Southampton, says:—"Bilious headaches, so violent that I could scarcely do anything for myself, were of frequent occurrence, and work was out of the question. Occasionally I would be laid up for a whole week. My appetite was very poor, and I scarcely dared to eat, knowing that my stomach would not retain food for more than an hour or so."

"No medicine did me the least good until I tried Mother Seigel's Syrup. The effect of the Syrup upon me was almost magical. It relieved me at once, and after a few weeks perseverance in the use of it, I was cured."

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NOTES AND NEWS.

KISSED IN ERROR.

Mr. John B. Wharton, a New Jersey judge, who looks like President Taft, has written to the President informing him that he had been "besieged by a company of beautiful girls and roundly kissed" because they thought he was Mr. Taft.

WANTS TO SELL HIS LIFE.

From The Times.

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MAHOMEDANS AND EDUCATION.

Commenting on the Government's condition of chartering the proposed Mahomedan University of India that an annual revenue of £33,000 must be assured towards which the Government itself will contribute £6,000, the University Correspondent says the step of founding such a University seems to be one for Mahomedans in India are prone to neglect higher education. Out of the 13,75 graduates who have taken the degree of the University of Calcutta since its foundation, only 675 were Mahomedans. Forty-five colleges which are affiliated to the Calcutta University employ 459 professors. Excepting some chairs of Persian and Arabic not a single appointment is held by a Mahomedan professor or lecturer. In the colleges of Western Bengal there are 65-0 Hindu students as against 494 Mahomedan students, while in the secondary schools the Mahomedan pupils number less than 10,000 as against 74,500 Hindus.

TRAGEDY THROUGH THE TELEPHONE.

Mr. Frank Cockrell, a timber merchant, of Chicago, recently refused an offer of marriage made to him by Mrs. Edna Robinson, a wealthy woman, of Portland (Oregon), who was recently divorced. It was at an after-dinner supper party that Mrs. Robinson, recalling the many years of friendship between herself and her host, suggested that a marriage based on such a foundation was bound to be successful and happy. Mr. Cockrell politely and as tactfully as possible rejected the proposal. On Saturday Mrs. Robinson called him up on the telephone and informed him that she loved him deeply and could not bear to live with him. He replied that he valued her friendship and wished to maintain it, but he did not cherish the feelings of a husband towards her. "Then listen, Frank," came the woman's reply, according to the Mail. The next moment the report of a revolver shot crashed along the wire. When Mr. Cockrell reached Mrs. Robinson's hotel he found her with a bullet wound in the region of her heart. "I meant to kill myself outright," she whispered, "but, you see, I have made a mess of it." The doctors declare that though Mrs. Robinson's condition is grave there is a faint possibility that she will live.

SUNDAY BILL REJECTED.

Colonel Seely, Under Secretary of State for War, in his address to officers and men of the 7th Battalion Manchester Regiment (Territorial), at their annual prize-giving last month said he would speak no word to discourage marksmanship on Sunday. He was only an onlooker in the matter. Lord Haldane and the Army Council left the propriety of this proceeding to the respective battalions. They must decide for themselves how far it was possible to indulge in shooting on Sundays without causing inconvenience or annoyance to their neighbours or imposing any other disability. He saw nothing wrong in shooting on Sundays. (Cheers.) Men of every political party played golf on Sundays, and for Territorials to sacrifice time and leisure on Sundays to learn to shoot could not, in the view of any authorities, human or divine, be more wicked than playing golf for pure amusement. But it was a matter for each locality to decide how far Sunday shooting could be arranged without causing trouble or scandal among their neighbours.

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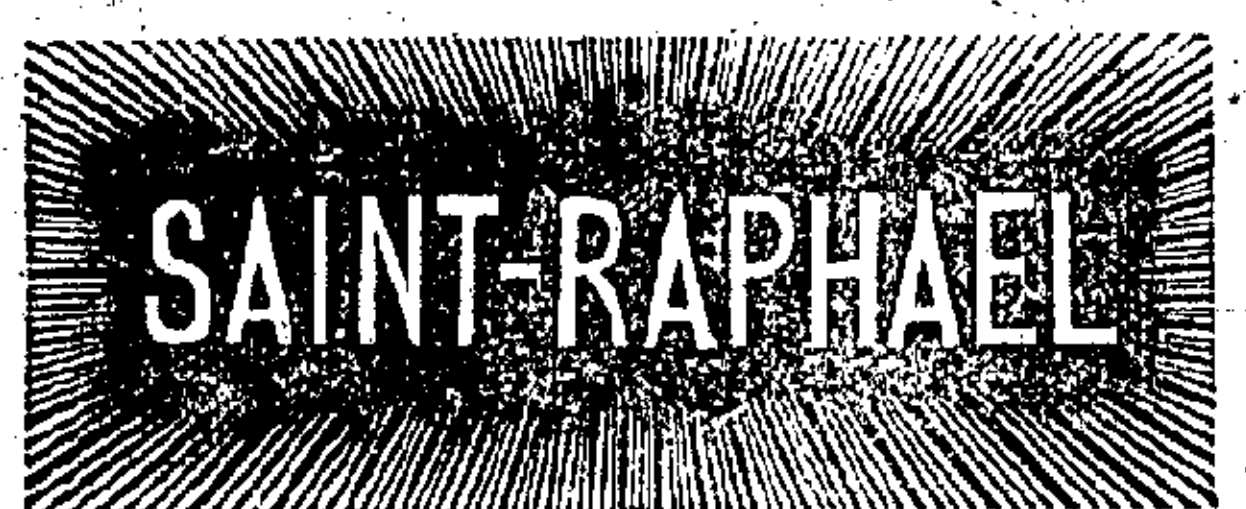


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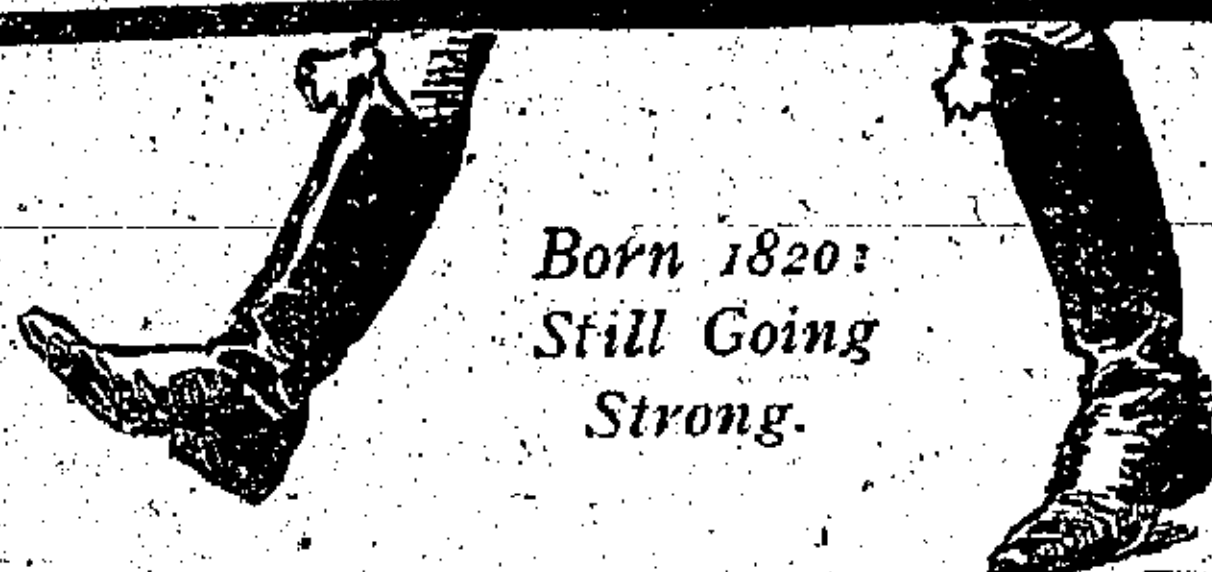
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GOOD AT THE GAME.

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SYNOPSIS OF INSTALLMENTS I & II.—Geoffrey Lovett is selected as one of the Australian cricketers to play against England. He is quite a failure at the beginning of the tour, but after severe training makes a fine exhibition. On the voyage home Geoff becomes acquainted with Rose Thoreau, the leading lady of an operatic company. He arrives in time to witness a big horse race, in which his father's horse "Copper King" is one of the favourites.

CHAPTER VI.

THE DERBY—AFTER.

"You must use your own judgment," said Bob Crisp. "If the pace is slow, perhaps it will be as well for you to make the running."
"So Mr. Lovett says. I'll do my best to win," said the jockey.

"I have no doubt about that," was the reply.
Lucas mounted "Copper King," and went out at the head of the runners. The colt was a bright bay, standing nearer seventeen than sixteen hands, a big raking fellow but well made, taking to the eye.

Cherry was much smaller, but compact and beautifully shaped; he looked as fit as a horse could be made.

Geoff was a fair judge for his age, and he told Edgar Unsworth on the quiet that he thought it was not such a good thing for "Copper King" as they thought.

"You can't pick one to beat him," said Edgar.

"I'm not at all sure Cherry won't."
"A pretty horse; but he's too small. I've no fault to find with him, except his size is against him."

"There's Percussion, he has a chance."

"I don't think so."

There was no delay at the start. As Lucas Gilpin expected the pace was slow. Magpie led for a furlong, then Percussion took command; the rider on Cherry was watching "Copper King."

Lucas found the pace so slow that he made a dash for the front. The movement was sudden, before the others realised it "Copper King" was leading by several lengths, going at a great pace. At the sheds he was five lengths in front, Cherry coming next, followed by Percussion and Magpie; the other two were already beaten. "Copper King" came on to the straight well ahead, and Geoff thought the race was as good as over.

So did his father, and Edgar Unsworth. As the Leger stand was reached, loud shouts proclaimed the victory of "Copper King," but Cherry was coming at a great pace, gaining rapidly.

Lucas was taking matters easily, he thought he had the others beaten.

"He's over confident," said James Lovett, as he saw Cherry making headway. "He'll throw the race away if he's not careful."

"He'll never do that," said Geoff, "he's too experienced."

Cherry was within a length of "Copper King" before Lucas recognised the danger. He shook his mount up, and the colt responded. There was no doubt about his gameness or stamina. The scarlet jacket and black cap were ahead, amidst the cheers of the crowd, for "Copper King" was heavily backed, and actually started favourite.

Geoff was pleased to hear the cheering; it showed his father's colours were popular. Susie's face flushed with excitement. She too was glad to see "Copper King" winning.

"Didn't I tell you he was a good horse," said Edgar excitedly. "He'll win the Victorian Derby, and give the Caulfield and Melbourne Cups a shaking."

Geoff laughed as he said:
"You can hardly expect him to sweep the board."

"But that's just what I do expect; there's no reason why he should not."
Although James Lovett was not as popular as the cheering that greeted the victory of his colt indicated, as the owner of the Derby winner he came in for many congratulations. Many people who had no liking for him thought it policy to stand well with him.

Tim Burney had a trifle on "Copper King." "It's flying in the face of Providence not to back a colt like that, no matter who owns him," he said.

Harry Burney had a modest fiver on him, and realised the pleasure of winning, but he enjoyed far more the merry sparkle of delight in Susie Lovett's eyes.

"I'm so glad you saw your son," she said. "Go and congratulate him," she said.

He hesitated a moment, then went up to James Lovett.

"Allow me to add my congratulations to the others on your victory. "Copper King" is a great horse."

He acknowledged the words with a brusque "thank you," and turning to Susie, said, "Come with me."

She looked at Harry; there was no mistaking the rudeness of her father's manner. He smiled back at her and said:

"I will see you again later on."

"I am so sorry," she said, in a low voice. "There's nothing to trouble about," said Harry cheerfully; but as she walked away with her father, he thought, "If I get a chance, James Lovett, I'll pay you back in your own coin."

If so happened that Geoff heard his father's words and noticed his abrupt manner, which he resented. Harry was his friend. He often remembered how he stood up for him at school, got him out of scrapes, used his seniority in age and to help him along. He followed his father and Susie in to the tea room.

"Hallo, Geoff, you here? Come and join us," said James Lovett.

He said James Lovett did not speak. At last his father noticed his silence.

"What's the matter?" he asked. "You look glum; are you sorry you hadn't more money on "Copper King?"

"It's not that," said Geoff.

"Then what is it?"

"You spoke rudely to Harry Burney just now. He's my friend; I didn't like it," said Geoff.

His father frowned.

"He said 'I don't like him,' he said. He's a chip off the old block, and everyone knows what Tim Burney is."

"I rather like the old chap," said Geoff. "and as for Harry he was very good to me at school, when I was a nipper and he was in the top form."

"The Burneys are not in the same class as ourselves," said James.

Geoff stared at him. His father had not hitherto been a stickler for class distinction.

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"You are welcome to your opinion; he may be all you say, but I'm not going to have him dundling after Susie. Perhaps he'll take a hint from the way I spoke to him," said James.

"I didn't know he paid particular attention to her," said Geoff.

"He doesn't," said Susie, "it is wrong of you to say so, father."

"He's been with you nearly all the afternoon."

"He's an interesting talker," she said.

"Well, I am not going to have him talked about in connection with you, and that's what it will come to if you are seen together frequently," said her father.

"What's the objection to him?" asked Geoff.

"He's old Tim's son, that's sufficient for me."

"But it's not fair to Harry, he can't help being Tim's son," said Geoff.

"More the pity," snapped his father. "Susie knows very well what I mean. I don't mind her speaking to him in the least, but don't let it go any further."

"It's not likely to," she said. Yet her heart told her it had already gone farther than that on her side, and she did not think Harry was indifferent to her attractions.

"I'm very glad to hear it," said James. "When brother and sister were alone together the same night, he said to her, 'Tell me you are fond of Harry?'"

"I like him very much," she answered eagerly.

"You know what I mean, do you love him?" said Geoff.

She hesitated. She hardly knew how to answer. She and Geoff had no secrets from each other, but this was something different. She hardly cared to bare her heart.

"No, I don't think I am in love with him," she said quietly.

"Don't think, surely you know?" he said. "At any rate he's not in love with me," she said, laughing.

"I think you're wrong. I believe he is," said Geoff.

"He's not said anything to you?"

"Oh, dear, no, he's not a fellow of that sort."

"Then what makes you think he is a little fond of me?"

Geoff laughed as he said:
"You're not blind, Susie; you must have seen he prefers your society to anyone else's."

"We get on very well together," she said. "I wonder why the governor is so down on him," said Geoff.

"I fancy it's Tim he objects to," said Susie.

"I say, old girl, I've something to tell you," said Geoff, in a burst of confidence.

"What is it?"

"I met a lady on the steamer as we came out. She is such a beautiful woman. Shall I show you her photograph?" said Geoff.

"Oh, do, please," said Susie, eagerly.

He unlocked the drawer in his desk, taking out a photograph of Rose Thoreau in a smart walking costume.

"There," he said, "what do you think of her?"

"She is beautiful!" exclaimed Susie.

"I am sure you will like her," he said, watching her.

"Where is she?"

"With friends?"

"She is the leading lady in the New Strand Opera Company," said Geoff.

"An actress?"

"Do you like her very much?"

"Yes, very much indeed."

"Whatever will father say?" she said.

"He'll kick up no end of a row, I say. Sis, we're in the same boat; let's help each other," said Geoff.

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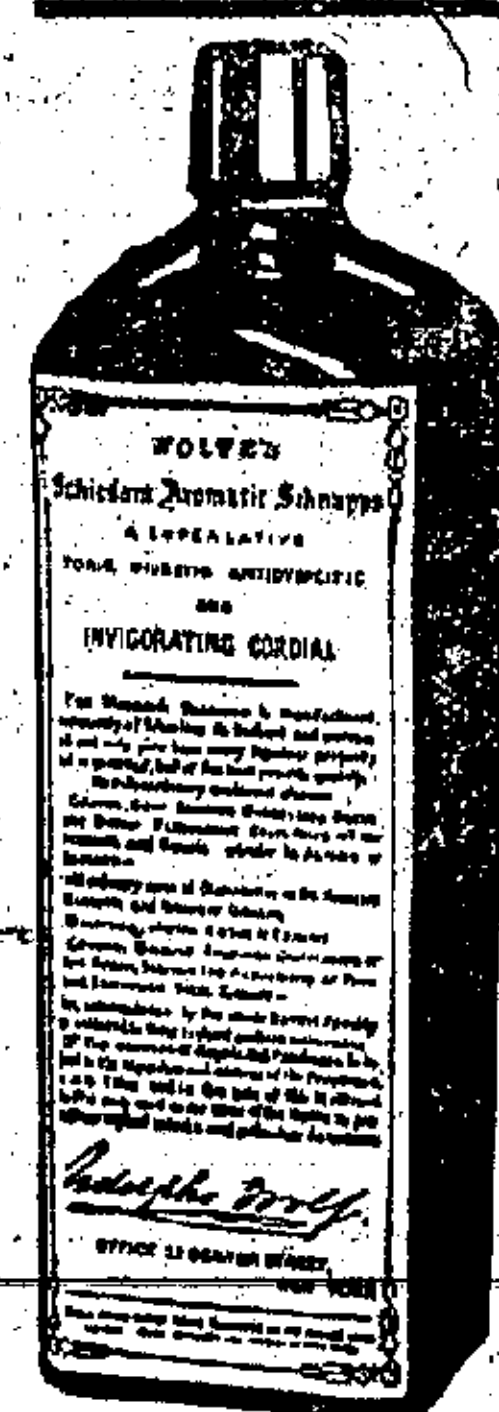
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GOOD AT THE GAME.

NAT GOULD.

(Author of "The Page that Kills," "The Roar of the Ring," etc.)

(Continued from Page 7.)

CHAPTER XII.

MAB'S FATHER.

Mab Seymour seemed to have lost something ever since Geoff Lovett left for Australia. True, she had not been introduced to him, had only spoken for a brief moment as they came out of the theatre; but the memory of it lingered, and she longed to meet him again. She wondered why she was thinking so much about him. It was absurd. Probably he had never given another thought to her—had entirely forgotten her existence.

Tom was at school. His letters were amusing; he continually alluded to Geoff Lovett, and wanted to know if his sister had heard from him, knowing the fact that she did not know her address.

"If you write to him, address to Geoff Lovett, The Celebrated Cricketer, Australia; that will be sufficient; it's sure to find him," wrote Tom.

It was lucky for Mab and Tom Seymour that a relative left them an income of three hundred a year between them. This was more than sufficient to pay for Tom's schooling, and Mab saved the bulk of hers, as Mrs. Kirkton paid her liberally, and made her many useful presents.

The great trouble in Mab's life was the disappearance of her father, Edmund Seymour. It was now four years since she had seen him last, and she had given up all hope of finding him. He must be dead, she thought. For a year after he vanished she and Tom lived with an aunt in Brixton; then came the windfall, and she determined, young as she was, to take rooms and look after Tom. When he went to school she, tired of being alone, answered Mrs. Kirkton's advertisement for a companion.

At first Mrs. Kirkton thought she was too young, but when Mab told her of the circumstances connected with her life, she became interested, engaged her, and promised to help in the search for Edmund Seymour. What she discovered she kept from Mab. The man she employed failed to find Mab's father, but he learned that Seymour was forced to leave England on account of a forgery he had committed. The amount he secured was five thousand pounds. He had been employed in a confidential capacity to a stockbroker, and had forged his employer's name for that sum. He was leniently dealt with, no prosecution took place; but the man whose name he forged insisted upon his leaving England.

Edmund Seymour had always posed as a single man, so that his employer knew nothing of Mab and Tom, or he would probably have acted differently.

Seymour was also a gambler and addicted to drinking; many evil things were known about him, few good actions placed to his credit, and it was highly probable his way of living caused his wife, who was delicate, to commit suicide.

Mrs. Kirkton started. Mab had said nothing about the way of her mother's death; she was not surprised the girl kept it from her; it was creditable to her to shield her mother's memory. Then she asked herself did Mab know her mother took her life? Her agent wrote on this subject: "Mrs. Seymour's death was mysterious. She had been in failing health for some time. I found out the doctor who attended her, and saw him. He was reticent, but I extracted from him that she died from an overdose of morphia, and he had no doubt—or at least hardly any—that it was self-administered. Edmund Seymour seemed to be fond of his wife, he said, and wished to avoid an inquest. This was impossible. No verdict of suicide was given, 'death from misadventure' being curiously returned. I found out that Miss Seymour was at school in Germany at the time. She came home for the funeral, but everything connected with her mother's death appears to have been kept from her. I can find no trace of any report of the inquest in the papers. Seymour lived a double life. He had a small flat in the West End, and the less said about the doings there the better. It was little better than a gambling hell, and was raided by the police, but he escaped before they entered the premises. I think he must have assumed some clever disguise, for I have the photograph you gave me, and he was not recognised as the man who rented the rooms. Where he went when he left England I have been unable to ascertain, probably America. In my opinion he is a dangerous man, and it is fortunate for his children he had passed out of their lives. If he is alive he is probably carrying on his practices elsewhere, and sooner or later he must come to grief. The five thousand pounds was never restored to the rightful owner; who declines to say why he did not prosecute or make him disgorge his plunder. My own opinion is that Edmund Seymour had assisted him in some way hardly legitimate, and that the transaction would not bear the light of day. If I can be of any further use to you, command me."

Mrs. Kirkton knew more about Mab's father than the girl herself, and she did not believe he was dead; such men die hard. Not for worlds would she have Mab know that her father deliberately deserted her without a word of warning. She sincerely hoped Mab would never see him again; as her agent said, he was better out of her life.

Tom did not miss his father so much as Mab. He had been accustomed to rely on his sister, and was, at the time, too youthful to understand what really happened. If he did, he quickly forgot it.

Mab could not have fallen into better hands. Mrs. Kirkton became very fond of her, treated her more as a daughter than a companion, and for her sake frequently invited Tom to the house.

For some months Mrs. Kirkton had been in failing health, and her medical adviser took Mab into his confidence.

"You are very much attached to her, Miss Seymour?"

"I am," replied Mab.

"Then I can safely tell you she requires care. The best thing for her would be a long sea voyage; it would make a new woman of her. I am sure of it. Sound her on the subject," he said.

Mab did so, and found out that Mrs. Kirkton was inclined to consider a long voyage favourably.

Mab confessed with a laugh that the doctor had given her a hint in this direction. "I will consider it," said Mrs. Kirkton. "A long sea voyage, he said? I'm not going round the world."

"How would it be to the Cape and back?" said Mab.

"I don't fancy going there. I think Australia must be a very pleasant country." Mab's heart beat fast. Australia! That was where Geoff Lovett was. If they went to Sydney she might meet him again.

"It is a long way," said Mab. "Six or seven weeks."

"That would soon pass, and the voyage might give you back your lost strength."

"I am not half such an invalid as the doctor makes out."

Mab made no reply. She had been much concerned about her kind friend. She noticed how she seemed to waste away although she was always bright and cheerful.

"What's to become of Tom if I take you away?" said Mrs. Kirkton.

"He can remain at a school until I return."

"But he's seventeen, will soon be eighteen, it's quite time he was put to something. The best plan would be to take him with us wherever we go; there is more scope for a lad in new countries."

"How kind of you," said Mab. "I should never have suggested it. Tom is such a tease: I am afraid he will trouble you on a long voyage."

"Not at all; I like Tom. He has his faults—all boys have, and girls too, but he's a good-hearted lad, and his mischief is juvenile, there's no vice about him. He's a lad that will get on, for he has plenty of courage."

"Tom has an idea you prefer his room to his company, I think," said Mab, laughing. "Are you responsible for that idea," she asked smiling.

"Perhaps I am," said Mab.

A month later, Mrs. Kirkton made up her mind that she would go to Sydney.

"I've a change of letting the house for twelve months to an old friend who will take care of my things," she said.

"It will be nice to leave someone here who will be careful," said Mab.

"I think the end of January will be a good time to leave."

"And Tom can finish school at Christmas: it will be welcome news to him."

"He will be lucky if he never wishes his schooldays to come over again," said Mrs. Kirkton.

"Leave early in January," said the doctor: "you will get out there in the autumn when it will be nice weather. Not too hot."

When Tom heard from his sister about the proposed voyage to Sydney, he jumped with delight.

"What's the matter, Tom? Are you cracked?" asked a chum.

"No, Binks, I'm not cracked, I'm sound, quite perfect. I'm leaving at the end of this term, and going with my sister and Mrs. Kirkton on a voyage to Sydney. Won't it be jolly?"

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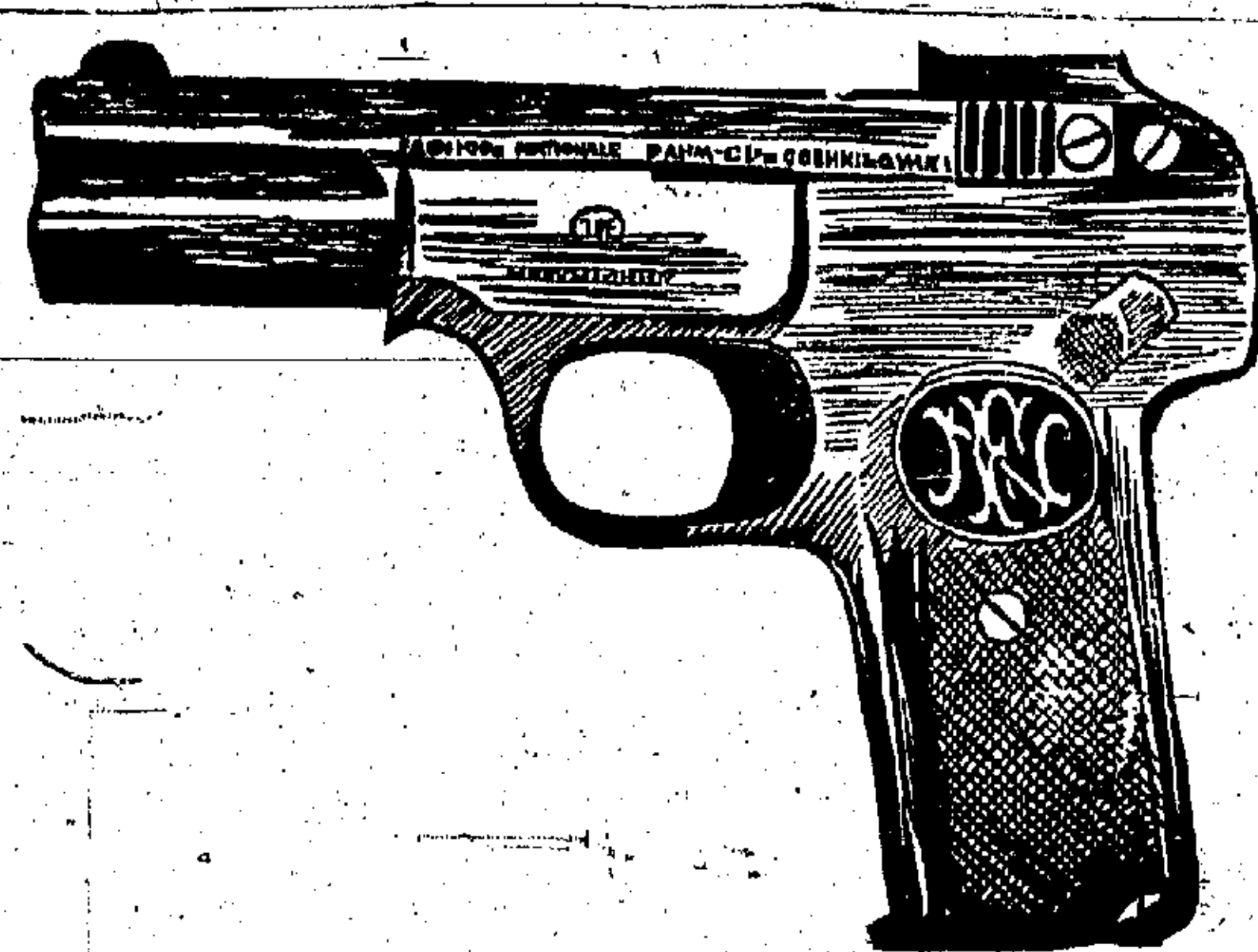
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All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 13th inst., at 9.30 a.m.

All Claims must reach us before the 17th inst., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

ARTHUR NILSSON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 6th January, 1912. [169]

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Goods not cleared by the 16th inst. at 9 a.m. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on SATURDAY, 13th inst., at 10 a.m. Claims against the Steamer must be presented within 10 days of arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, 9th January, 1911. [59]

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "SHINYO MARU"

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU AND JAPAN PORTS.

THE above-named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for Counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery of Cargo from alongside.

Cargo remaining undelivered on FRIDAY, the 12th inst., at 5 p.m., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense and delivery must then be taken from Company's Godown.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

No Claims will be recognized after the Goods have left the Steamer or Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered on WEDNESDAY, the 17th inst., afternoon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All chafed and otherwise damaged Cargo to be left on board or Godown and examination of same to be arranged.

All Claims must be filed on or before WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, otherwise they will not be recognized.

K. MATSUDA, Agent.

Hongkong, 10th January, 1912. [181]

SOCIETA NAZIONALE DI SERVIZI MARITIMI.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM BOMBAY AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

"CAPRI"

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Perishable Goods to be taken delivery of immediately.

All Claims must be sent to the Office of the undersigned before Noon on the 20th inst., or they will not be recognized.

All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 16th inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th instant, at 9.30 a.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

CAELOWITZ & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 10th January, 1912. [4]

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which have arrived here by the S.S. "ARAGONIA" on the 17th December, 1911.

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RAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 10th January, 1912. [179]

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Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-day requesting it to be landed here.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 15th inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th inst., at 9.30 a.m.

All Claims must reach us before the 22nd inst., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

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Hongkong, 8th January, 1912. [5]

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Hongkong, 10th August, 1911. [663]

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VICTORIA, B.C., and SEATTLE via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI, and YOKOHAMA	HIRANO MARU Capt. H. Fraser,	9,000	WED'DAY, 15th Jan., at Daylight.
VICTORIA, B.C., and SEATTLE	AWA MARU Capt. T. Iriawa,	7,000	TUESDAY, 30th Jan., at Noon.
	SADO MARU Capt. —	7,000	TUESDAY, 13th Feb., at Noon.
VICTORIA, B.C., & SEATTLE	SANUKI MARU Capt. Richardo,	7,000	SATURDAY, 27th Jan., from Kobe.
SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE and BRISBANE ...	KUMANO MARU Capt. M. Winckler,	6,000	FRIDAY, 19th Jan., at Noon.
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KOBE and YOKOHAMA	KAMO MARU Capt. F. L. Sommer,	9,000	THURSDAY, 18th Jan., at 11 A.M.
NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	YAWATA MARU Capt. T. Sekine,	5,000	WED'DAY, 17th Jan., at Noon.
SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE	HAKATA MARU Capt. Nomura,	7,000	WED'DAY, 17th Jan.
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S.S. GOLDENFELS ... 28th Jan.	For MARSEILLES, ROTTERDAM & HAMBURG
S.S. SUEVIA 15th Feb.	S.S. - EGIOVA ... 28th Jan.
S.S. BELGRAVIA 26th Feb.	For HAVRE, ROTTERDAM & HAMBURG:
S.S. SACHSEN 8th March.	S.S. SAMBIA 6th Feb.
S.S. C. FERD. LAEISZ... 30th March.	For HAVRE, HAMBURG & ANTWERP:
For Further Particulars, apply to—	S.S. SILBER, ROTTERDAM & HAMBURG
	S.S. SAKUNIA 14th Feb.
	For HAVRE, BREMEN & HAMBURG:
	S.S. AMBRIA 23rd Feb.
	For ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG & ANTWERP
	S.S. SPZ VIA 29th Feb.
	For NEW YORK:
	S.S. ARAGONIA 6th Feb.

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Hongkong Office. | 10

HONGKONG, 12th January, 1912.
 INDO-CHINA S. NAV. CO., LD.

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION)

FOR	TO	DATE	TIME
• MANILA	• KUEINGSAI	Saturday, 14th Jan.	2 p.m.
• SHANGHAI via SWATOW	• KWONGSANG	Tuesday, 16th Jan.	Noon
• SHANGHAI, KOBE AND MOJI.	• NAMSANG	Friday, 19th Jan.	Noon
• MANILA	• LOONGSANG	Monday, 22nd Jan.	Noon
• SHANGHAI, KOBE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	• LOOKSANG	Tuesday, 23rd Jan.	Noon
• BANDAKAN	• M. Y. FENG	Wednesday, 31st Jan.	Noon

FOR THE MANILA CARNIVAL, FEBRUARY 2ND TO 10TH, 1912

A special reduced fare of 850 for Return Passengers will be issued for our ships.

Passenger Agency, available for 30 days from Date of issue.

RETURN TOURS TO JAPAN,
(OCCUPYING 24 DAYS).

The Steamers "KUTANG," "NAMANG," and "PANG" call at
Shanghai and returning via Kobe (Inland Sea) and Moji to Hongkong.
These vessels have all modern improvements and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.
A daily qualified surgeon is also carried.
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Tientsin and Newchwang.
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Usakoo, Jesselton and Labuan.
Telephone No. 215. Sub. Exch. 4.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LT
GENERAL MANAGERS.
Hongkong, 15th January, 1912

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SWATOW.		AND RETURN.		LEAVING	
STEAMSHIP		CAPTAIN			
"HAI TAN"	Capt. J. S. Bosch ...	SUNDAY,	14th Jan., 'at		
"HAI TAN"	Capt. J. W. Evans ...	THURSDAY,	18th Jan., 'at		

FOR **SWATOW** AND RETURN.
(Occupying 3 Days).

“HAIMUN” ... Capt. A. H. Stewart ... TUESDAY, ...
Steamers will arrive at and depart from the Company's Wharf (near Blake Pier)
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FOR	STRAWERS	Tons (Gross reg.)	LEAVES
VICTORIA, B.C. & TACOMA via NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI, AND YOKOHAMA	"TACOMA MARU"	6,128	WEDDAY, 24 Jan., at 11 A.M.
VICTORIA, B.C. & TACOMA via SHANG- HAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI, AND YOKO- HAMA	"PANAMA MARU"	6,059	SATURDAY, Feb., at 11 A.M.

O. S. K. has made the following revision on 1st class passage to Victoria, Tacoma, & Vancouver, Portland, and San Francisco:—

From Manila	G. \$130.00
From Hongkong, Shanghai and Keelung	G. \$210.00
From Nagasaki, Moji, Kobe and Yokohama	G. \$ 95.00
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1st class passage from Hongkong to Victoria, Tacoma, and San Francisco	G. 110.00

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FOR	STRAIGHTS	LEAVES
TAMSUI VIA SWATOW and AMOY	"DAIGI MA."	SUNDAY, 14th at 10 A.M.
FOOCHOW VIA SWATOW and AMOY	"CHOSHUN MARU"	Tuesday, 17th at 10 A.M.

For information of Freight, Passengers, Sailings, etc., apply at the Co.'s Branch Office, at Second Floor, No. 1, Queen's Building.

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For Passages and Freight apply to **P. THOMAS, M.M. Co.'s A**

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POST OFFICE NOTICE

The Parcel Post system to the following places in China is for the present suspended: Hupeh, Szechuan, Hunan, Kweichow and Tientsin.

The *Dortmund*, with the Siberian Mail, is due to arrive here to-day.

The *Calcutta*, with the Siberian Mail, is due to arrive here on Monday, the 15th inst.

FOR	PER	DATE
Hohow and Bangkok	Halifax	Saturday, 13th, 10.0 A.M.
Singapore, Penang and Bombay	Yokohama	Saturday, 13th, 11.00 A.M.
Manila, Cebu and Iloilo	Tokyo	Saturday, 13th, 1.00 P.M.
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CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

ON LONDON	ON NEW YORK	ON BOMBAY	ON CALCUTTA	ON SHANGHAI	ON HANKOW	ON YOKOHAMA	ON MANILA	ON SINGAPORE	ON BATAVIA	ON HONGKONG
Telegraphic Transfer	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand	Bank Bills, on demand
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight
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SUBSIDIARY COINS.	per cent.
Chinese	20 cents pieces
Chinese	10 " "
Hongkong	20 " "
Hongkong	10 " "

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. HONGKONG, JANUARY 12th, 1912.

STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALUE.	PAID UP.	CLOSING QUOTATIONS.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK CORPORATION	120,000	\$125	all	\$8950
China Bank Company, Limited	60,000	\$12	all	L'don £82
China Light and Power Company, Limited	50,000	\$5	all	\$10, buyers
China Merchants Bank, Limited	200,000	\$10	all	\$83
China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd.	20,000	Fls. 50	all	Fls. 80, sales
Two Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	125,000	\$10	all	\$53, sellers
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	10,000	Fls. 75	all	Fls. 50, sales
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	8,000	Fls. 100	all	Fls. 65
Leong-Kung-Mow C. Spin. & Weav. Co., Ltd.	20,000	Fls. 50	all	Fls. 28
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Limited	40,000	\$72	all	\$20, buyers
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	60,000	\$50	all	\$55, buyers
DOCKERS AND WHARVES.	50,000	\$47	all	\$47
H'kong & Kowloon Wharf & G. Co., Ltd.	10,000	Fls. 100	all	Fls. 8, buyers
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	10,000	Fls. 100	all	Fls. 58
New Amoy Dock Co., Limited	55,000	Fls. 100	all	Fls. 95
Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	40,000	Fls. 100	all	\$380, buyers
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co., Ltd.	1,000	\$10	all	\$21, sales
Island Cement Co., Limited	60,000	\$10	all	\$119, sellers
Hongkong and China Gas Co., Limited	12,000	\$50	all	\$75
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	15,000	Pa. 10	all	\$193, sellers
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$19, sellers
Manila Metropole Hotel Limited	15,000	\$10	all	\$19, sellers
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	60,000	\$10	all	\$19, sellers
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Limited	15,000	\$10	all	\$19, sellers
H'kong & South China Steam Fisheries Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$250	\$50	\$192, buyers
Canton Insurance Office Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	all	\$133, buyers
China Fire Insurance Co., Limited	24,000	\$80.00	\$20	\$15
China Traders Insurance Co., Limited	10,000	\$400	\$20	\$60, buyers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited	10,000	\$10	all	Fls. 145, buyers
North-China Insurance Co., Limited	12,000	\$200	\$10	\$847
Union Insurance Society, Limited	12,000	\$100	all	\$212, @ Ex 73
YANGTZE INSURANCE CO.	50,000	\$100	all	\$102, buyers
LANDS AND BUILDINGS.	150,000	\$10	all	\$61, buyers
Hongkong Land Invest. Agency Co., Ltd.	150,000	\$10	all	\$30, sal. & bu.
Hongkong Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.	75,000	Fls. 50	all	T. 93
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	75,000	Fls. 50	all	50
Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited	12,000	\$10	all	Fls. 79, buyers
West Point Building Co., Limited	25,000	Gds. 10	all	Fls. 79, buyers
Matschuppi tot Mij, Bosch-on	16,000	Fos. 250	all	695
Landbouw exploitatie in Langkat	20,000	\$10	all	\$580, sellers
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin	20,000	\$10	all	\$115, buyers
Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	25,000	\$10	all	\$110
Peak Tramways Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$5, buyers
Philippine Co., Limited	75,000	\$10	all	\$5, buyers
RAPINEERIES.	20,000	\$100	all	\$100, buyers
China Sugar Refining Co., Limited	7,000	\$100	all	\$35, sellers
LEON SUGAR REFINING CO., LIMITED	30,000	\$25	all	\$10, sal. & bu.
STEAMSHIP COMPANIES.	20,000	\$50	all	\$21, sales
China and Manila Steamship Co., Ltd.	80,000	\$10	all	\$262, buyers
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	60,000	\$25	all	\$59, sal. & bu.
Hongkong, Canton & Macao S.B. Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$25	all	\$59, sal. & bu.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	2,500,000	\$10	all	\$46, buyers
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Limited	10,000	\$10	all	\$27, buyers
Star Ferry Company, Limited	10,000	\$10	all	\$27, buyers
South China Morning Post, Limited	6,000	\$25	all	\$22, sales
Steam Laundry Company, Limited	20,000	\$5	all	\$20, buyers
STROKES AND DISPENSARIES.	1,200	\$10	all	\$43, buyers
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	15,000	\$10	all	\$3, buyers
Wm. Powell, Limited	4,000	\$10	all	\$43, buyers
Watkins, Limited	3,000	\$10	all	\$15, buyers
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$12, buyers
Weismann, Limited	9,900	\$10	all	\$10
Gande Price & Co., Ltd.	100 shares	\$10	all	\$300
United Asbestos Oriental Agency	50,000	\$10	all	\$73, buyers
Union Waterboat Co.	50,000	\$10	all	\$73, buyers

Loans.	Amount.	Value.	Interest.	Quotation.
Chinese Imperial 1885	Ts. 767,200	Fls. 250	7 1/2 p. annum	100
VEBON & SYMTH, Share Brokers.				

MAILS VIA SIBERIA.	Due
London	January 6th
December	January 9th

TO-NIGHT.	TO-NIGHT.
9.15 P.M.—A Grand Variety Entertainment at the Theatre Royal.	9.15 P.M.—A Grand Variety Entertainment at the Theatre Royal.

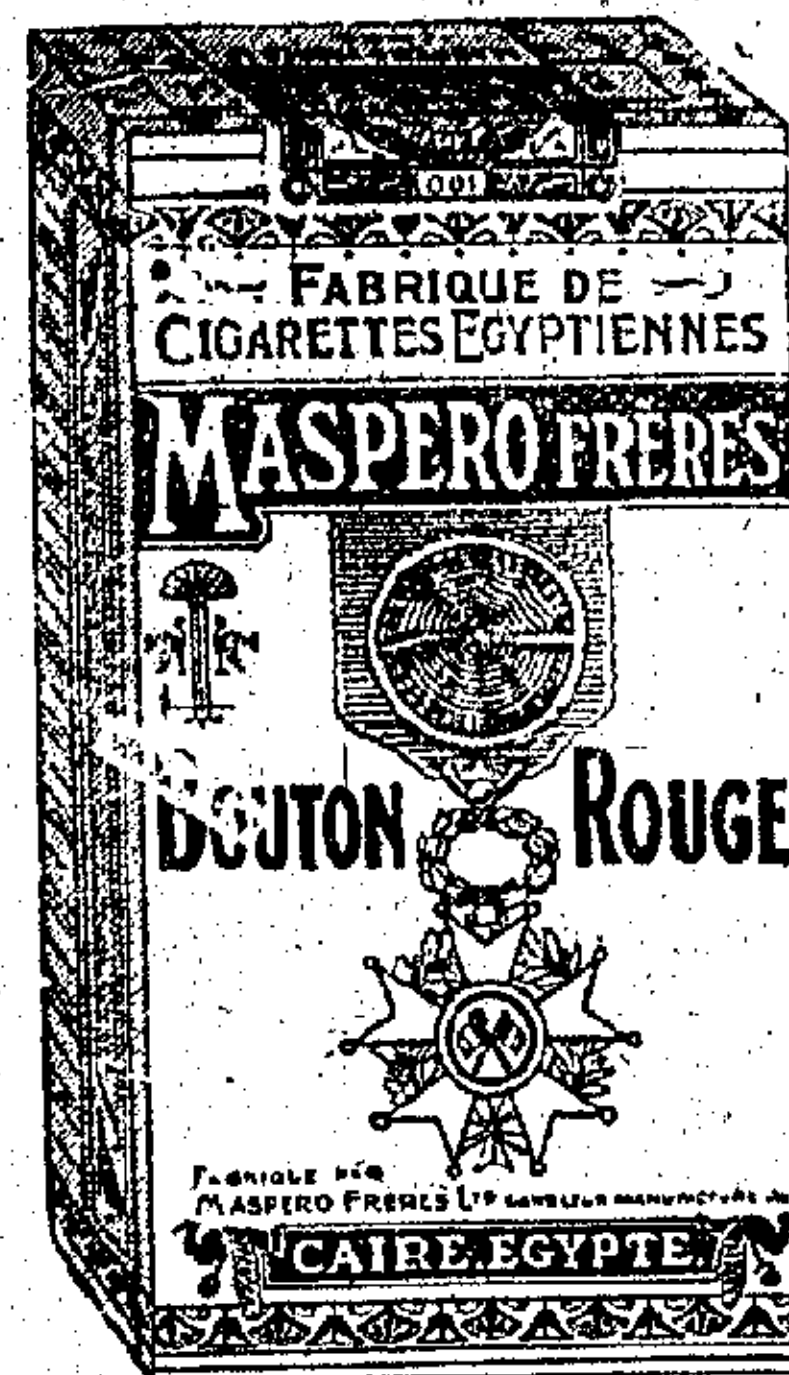
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